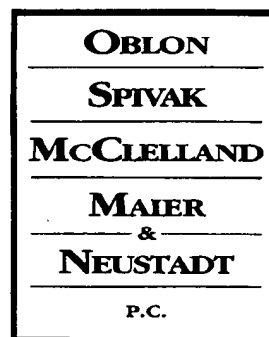


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Please investigate this charge and kindly refund **\$180.00 to Deposit Account #150030.** Copies of the appropriate paperwork are attached. If you have any questions, please contact Debbie Noel at (703) 412-6296. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,  
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